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## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

Claims 1-9 (Cancelled).

- 10. (Previously Presented) Process for the production of a labelled container by means of the blow-moulding process, in which a thermoplastic polymer is extruded as melt tube through an annular die into a two-part mould, in which a film or at least one film section has been laid, and the melt tube is squeezed at one end by closing the two-part mould and air is introduced at the opposite end in such a way that the melt tube is inflated and adapts itself to the mould in such a way that a hollow body is shaped, and at the same time the laid-in label is applied, characterized in that the label consists of a biaxially oriented porous film which has an open-pored network-like structure produced during production of the film by conversion of  $\beta$ -crystalline polypropylene into alpha-crystalline polypropylene during the stretching.
- 11. (Currently Amended) The process of claim 10, wherein the biaxially <u>orinted</u> <u>oriented</u> porous film comprises a propylene polymer and at least one β–nucleating agent.
- 12. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 10, wherein the porosity of the film is in the range from 500 to 1300 Gurley.
- 13. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 11, wherein the porosity of the film is in the range from 500 to 1300 Gurley.
- 14. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 13, wherein the density of the film is in the range from 0.2 to 0.85 g/cm<sup>3</sup>.

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15. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 12, wherein the film comprises a propylene homopolymer and/or a propylene block copolymer.

- 16. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 14, wherein the film comprises a propylene homopolymer and/or a propylene block copolymer.
- 17. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 10, wherein the film comprises a mixture of propylene homopolymer and propylene block copolymer in a ratio ranging from 90:10 to 10:90.
- 18. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 16, wherein the film comprises a mixture of propylene homopolymer and propylene block copolymer in a ratio ranging from 90:10 to 10:90.
- 19. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 10, wherein the film comprises from 0.001% by weight to 5% by weight based on the weight of a  $\beta$ –nucleated layer, of  $\beta$ –nucleating agent.
- 20. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 18, wherein the film comprises from 0.001% by weight to 5% by weight based on the weight of a  $\beta$ –nucleated layer, of  $\beta$ –nucleating agent.

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21. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 10, wherein the nucleating agent is a calcium salt of pimelic acid or of suberic acid or is a carboxamide.

- 22. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 20, wherein the nucleating agent is a calcium salt of pimelic acid or of suberic acid or is a carboxamide.
- 23. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 10, wherein the film is produced by the stenter process, and the take-off roll temperature is in the range from 60 to 130 °C.
- 24. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 22, wherein the film is produced by the stenter process, and the take-off roll temperature is in the range from 60 to 130 °C.
- 25. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 10, wherein the labelled container by the film does not have an orange peel.
- 26. (Previously Presented) The process of claim 24, wherein the labelled container by the film does not have an orange peel.